

## **Children's Books Related to Social Emotional Learning**

These books are listed only as possible resources and should not be interpreted as recommended.

### **Various emotions:**

- Aliki (1986). *Feelings*. Harper Trophy
- Avery, C. (1997). *Everybody Has Feelings*. Gryphon House.
- Berkner, L. (2007). *The Story of My Feelings*. Orchard Books
- Birney, Betty (1992). *Oh Bother! Someone's Grumpy!* Goldencraft
- Browning-Wroe, J. (2006). *Happy, Sad, Jealous, Mad*. Grades PK-1. Key Education Publishing.
- Cain, B.S. (2001). *Double-Dip Feelings: Stories to Help Children Understand Emotions*. Magination Press.
- Cain, J. (2000). *The Way I Feel*. Parenting Press
- Canizares, S. (1999). *Feelings*. Scholastic
- Conlin, S. (1991). *All My Feelings at Preschool: Nathan's Day (Let's Talk About Feelings)*. Parenting Press.
- Curtis, J.L. (1999). *Today I Feel Silly, And Other Moods That Make My Day*,
- Delis-Abrams, A. (1991). *ABC Feelings Book*. Adage Publications
- Emberley, E. (1997). *Glad Monster, Sad Monster: A Book About Feelings*. Little Brown and Company
- Fox, M. (2006). *Whoever You Are*. Voyager Books
- Gold, R.M. (1998). *The Feelings Box*. Aegina Press
- Heegaard, M.E. (2003). *Drawing Together to Learn About Feelings*. Fairview Press
- Hubbard, W. (1990). *C is for Curious, an ABC of Feelings*. Chronicle Books
- Kranz, L. *Only One You*. Taylor Trade
- Kranz, L. (2013). *You Be You*. Taylor Trade
- Law, F. (2005). *Feelings*. Mercury Books
- Leghorn, L. (1995). *Proud of Our Feelings*. Magination Press
- Leeper, A. (1995). *I Have Feelings*. Heinemann.
- Lester, H. (2007). *Hurty Feelings*. Houghton Mifflin.
- Moddy, M. (1991). *ABC Book of Feelings*. Concordia Publishing House
- Murphy, M. (2000). *I Feel Happy, and Sad, and Angry, and Glad*. Dorling Kindersley Pub
- Parr, T. (2005) *The Feelings Book*. Little Brown Books for Young Readers
- Petelinsek, K. (2004). *Feelings and Emotions/Sentimientos*. Child's World; Bilingual Edition
- Petersen, P.J. (1994). *Some Days, Other Days*. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons
- Polland, B. (1997). *Feelings Inside You and Outside Too*. Tricycle Press
- Prochovnic, D.B. (2012). *So Many Feelings: Sign Language for Feelings and Emotions*. Magic Wagon.
- Raschka, C. (2007). *Yo! Yes*. Scholastic
- Rotner, S. (2003). *Lots of Feelings*, Millbrook Press
- Simon, N. (1970). *How Do I Feel?* Albert Whitman & Company
- Snow, T., Snow, P., Espeland, P. & Hartman, C. (2007). *Feelings to Share from A to Z*. Maren Green Publishing;
- Stanley, M. (2006). *How Do You Feel?* Simon & Schuster Children's Publishing
- Seuss, Dr. (1996). *My Many Colored Days*. Knopf Books for Young Readers.
- Suman, D. (2015). *What Color Am I Feeling? Expressing Emotions with Colors*. Amazon Digital Services.
- Vail, R. (2005). *Sometimes I'm Bombaloo*. Topeka Bindery
- Willems, M. (2005). *The Pigeon Has Feelings Too*. Disney-Hyperion.
- Wells, R. (2008). *Yoko Writes Her Name*. Hyperion.
- Zagarenski, P. & American Heritage Dictionaries (2001). *How Do I Feel? Como me siento?* Houghton Mifflin

### **Anger:**

- Aaron, J. (1998). *When I'm Angry*. Golden Books
- Bang, M. (1999). *When Sophie Gets Angry – Really Angry*. Scholastic.
- Berry, J.W. (1996). *Feeling Angry (Let's Talk About It)*. Scholastic
- Blumenthal, D. (1999). *The Chocolate Covered Cookie Tantrum*. Houghton Mifflin Co.
- Carle, Eric (1996). *The Grouchy Ladybug*. Scott Foresman
- Crary, E. (1996). *When You're Mad and You Know It*. Parenting Press Inc.
- Crary, E. (1992). *I'm Mad (Dealing with Feelings)*. Parenting Press Inc.
- Crary, E. (1996). *I'm Furious (Dealing with Feelings)*. Parenting Press Inc.
- Dewdney, A. (2007). *Llama Llama Mad at Mama*. Viking Books for Young Readers

Duncan, R. (1989). *When Emily Woke Up Angry*. Barron's Educational Series, Inc.  
 Frost, H. (2000). *Feeling Angry*. Pebble Books  
 Griffith, D. (2007). *That Makes Me So Mad!* Tate Publishing & Enterprises, LLC.  
 Lachner, D. (1995). *Andrew's Angry Words*. North-South books  
 Mayer, M. (2000). *I Was So Mad*. Random House Children's Books  
 Miller, C.C. (2011). *Angry Is... (Know Your Emotions)*. Capstone Press  
 Joose, B. (1989). *Dinah's Mad, Bad Wishes*. HarperCollins Publishers  
 Kroll, S. (2002). *That Makes Me Mad!* Chronicle Books, LLC  
 Palatini, M. (2001). *Goldie is Mad*. Disney Press  
 Preston, E.M. (1969). *The Temper Tantrum Book*. Viking Press  
 Sendak, M. (1988). *Where the Wild Things Are*. HarperCollins Publishers  
 Simon, N. (1991). *I Was So Mad!* Albert Whitman & Company  
 Spelman, M. (2004). *When I Feel Angry*. Albert Whitman and Company  
 Tullock, R. & Greder, A. (1990). *Danny in the Toybox*. HarperCollins Publishers  
 Vail, R. (2004). *Sometimes I'm Bombaloo*. Scholastic, Inc.

### **Fear/Anxiety:**

Berry, J.W. (2010). *Feeling Afraid*. Joy Berry Books  
 Apple, M. (1999). *Brave Martha*. New York: Houghton Mifflin  
 Bourgeois, P. & Clark, B. (1987). *Franklin in the Dark*. Scholastic, Inc.  
 Cooper H. (1993). *The Bear Under the Stairs*. Penguin Group (USA)  
 Crary, E. (1996). *I'm Scared (Dealing with Feelings)*. Parenting Press  
 Dunbar, J. (1998). *Tell Me Something Happy Before I Go to Sleep*. San Diego: Harcourt Brace  
 Edwards, P.D. (2003). *The Worrywarts*. HarperCollins Publishers  
 Ellis, S. (2005). *Ben Over Night*, Fitzhenry & Whiteside, Ltd.  
 Gaiman, N. (2005). *The Wolves in the Walls*. HarperCollins Children's Books  
 Graham, B. (2001). *Rose Meets Mr. Wintergarten*. Candlewick Press  
 Graves, S. (2011). *Who Feels Scared? A Book About Being Afraid*. Free Spirit Publishing  
 Graves, S. (2013). *But What If? A book about feeling worried*. Free Spirit Publishing  
 Green, A. (2009). *The Monster in the Bubble: A Children's Book About the Fear of Change*. Monsters in my Head.  
 Henkes, K. (2000). *Wemberly Worried*. HarperCollins Publishers.  
 Holmes, M. (2000). *A Terrible Thing Happened: A Story for Children Who Have Witnessed Violence or Trauma*. American Psychological Association  
 Howe, J. (1986). *There's a Monster Under My Bed*. New York: Atheneum  
 Kunkel, L. (2003). *What Scares Me; What I Do About It*. August Fortress Press.  
 Mayer, M. (1988). *There's Something There! Three Bedtime Classics*. Barnes & Noble  
 Mayer, M. (1987). *There's an Alligator Under my Bed*. Dial Books for Young Readers.  
 Mayer, M. (1992). *There's a Nightmare in My Closet*. Penguin Group  
 Meiners, C.J. (2003). *When I Feel Afraid*. Free Spirit Publishing  
 Moses, B. (2005). *Poems About Being Scared*. Hodder & Stoughton, Ltd.  
 Moses, B. (1998). *I'm Worried*. Hodder Wayland  
 Munsch, R. (1997). *The Dark*. Firefly Books.  
 Nichols, C. (2011). *Scared Is (Know Your Emotions)*. Capstone Press.  
 Seeger, L.V. (2006). *Walter Was Worried*. Roaring Brook Press  
 Sendak, M. (1984). *Where the Wild Things Are*. HarperCollins Publishers  
 Spelman, C.M. (2004). *When I Feel Scared*. Albert Whitman

### **Frustration:**

Alexander, M. (1977). *And My Mean Old Mother Will Be Sorry, Blackboard Bear*. Penguin Group (USA)  
 Berry, J.W. (2000). *Let's Talk About Feeling Frustrated: A Personal Feelings Book*. Gold Star Publishing  
 Brown, M. (1999). *D.W., Go to Your Room! (an Arthur story)*. Little, Brown & Company  
 Carle, E. (1996). *The Grouchy Ladybug*. HarperCollins Children's Books  
 Crary, E. (1992). *I'm Frustrated (Dealing with Feelings)*. Parenting Press  
 Everitt, B. (1992). *Mean Soup*. San Diego: Harcourt Brace Jovanovich  
 Henkes, K. (1996). *Chrysanthemum*. HarperCollins Publishers  
 Kachenmeister, C. (2001). *On Monday When It Rained*. Houghton Mifflin Sandpiper

Moses, B. (1998). *It's Not Fair*. Wayland Publishing  
Mulcahy, W. (2012). *Zach Gets Frustrated*. Free Spirit Publishing  
Rosenthal, A.K. (2008). *It's Not Fair!* HarperCollins Canada  
Shannon, D. (1998). *No, David!* Scholastic, Inc.  
Viorst, J. (1987) *Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day*. Simon & Schuster

### **Happiness:**

Carlson, N. (2002). *There's a Big, Beautiful World Out There!* Viking  
Carlson, N. (2002). *Smile a Lot!*. Lerner Publishing Group  
Crary, E. (1996) *When You're Happy and You Know It*. Parenting Press, Inc.  
Crary, E. (1996). *I'm Excited*. Parenting Press, Inc.  
Kipfer, B.A. (1994). *1,400 Things for Kids to Be Happy About: The Happy Book*. Workman Publishing  
Parr, T. (2004). *The Feel Good Book*. Little Brown Books for Young Readers.  
Willis, J. (2000). *Susan Laughs*. New York: Henry Holt

### **Jealousy:**

Berenstain, S. & J. (1995). *The Berenstain Bears and the Green-Eyed Monster*. Random House  
Berry, J. (2010). *Let's Talk About Feeling Jealous*. Joy Berry Books  
Moses, B. (1994). *I Feel Jealous*. Wayland Publishing  
Spelman, C.M. (2003). *When I Feel Jealous (Way I Feel Books)*. Albert Whitman Publishing.  
Toner, J.B. (2013). *What to Do When It's Not Fair: A Kids Guide to Handling Envy & Jealousy*. Magination Press.  
Wigand, M. (2008). *Jealousy Is Not for Me: A Guide to Freeing Yourself from Envy*. Abbey Press

### **Loss/Death:**

Brisson, P. (2006). *I Remember Miss Perry*. New York: Dial Books for Young Readers.  
Bunting, E. (2000). *The Memory String*. Houghton Mifflin Co.  
Buscaglia, L. (1982). *The Fall of Freddie the Leaf*. NY: Henry Holt Co.  
Carson, J. (1992). *You Hold Me and I'll Hold You*. NY: Orchard Books  
Carlstrom, N.W. (1990). *Blow Me a Kiss, Miss Lilly*. New York: Harper & Row  
Cohen, M. (1984). *Jim's Dog Muffins*. New York: Dell Publishing  
Cohn, J. (1994). *Molly's Rosebush*. Albert Whitman  
Gould, D. (1987). *Grandpa's Slide Show*. HarperCollins Publishers  
Greenlee, S. (1992). *When Someone Dies*. Peachtree Publishers  
Joslin, M. (1999). *The Goodbye Boat*. William B. Eerdmans Publishing Co.  
Moore-Mallinos, J. (2005). *I Remember*. Barron's Educational Series, Inc.  
Nystrom, C. (1990). *Emma Says Goodbye: A Child's Guide to Bereavement*. Lion Hudson PLC  
Riddle, T. (1996). *The Tip at the End of the Street*. Sydney: Harper Collins.  
Rogers, F. (1986) *When A Pet Dies*. G.P. Putnam's Sons  
Palmer, P. (1994). *I Wish I Could Hold Your Hand*. Impact Publishers  
Simon, N. (1986)). *The Saddest Time*. Illinois: Albert Whitman & Co.  
Spero, M.H. (1997). *Saying Goodbye to Grandma*. Simcha Media Group  
Stickney, D. (2004). *Water Bugs and Dragonflies: Explaining Death to Young Children*. Pilgrim Press.  
Thomas, J.R. (1988). *Saying Goodbye to Grandma*. Houghton Mifflin Co.  
Thomas, P. (2001). *I Miss You: A First Look at Death*. Barron's Educational Series, Inc.  
Viorst, J. (1971). *The Tenth Good Thing About Barney*. Simon & Schuster Children's Publishing

### **Love:**

Baker, L.T. (2008). *I Love You Because You're You*. Cartwheel Books  
Bourgeois, P. (2004) *Franklin Says "I Love You."* Toronto, ON: Kids Can Press  
Munsch, R. (2000), *Love You Forever*. Firefly Books, Ltd.  
McBratney, S. (1994). *Guess How Much I Love You* Cambridge, MA: Candlewick Press  
Parr, T. (2006). *I Love You Just Because*. Little Brown Young Readers

### **Sadness:**

Bourgeois, P. (1997). *Franklin's Bad Day (a Franklin the Turtle story)*. New York: Scholastic  
Goldblatt, R. (2004). *The Boy Who Didn't Want to Be Sad*. Magination Press

Graves, S. (2011). *I'm Not Happy: A Book About Feeling Sad*. Free Spirit Publishing  
 Frame, J.A. (2008). *Yesterday I Had the Blues*. Ten Speed Press  
 Frost, H. (2000). *Emotions Feeling Sad*. Coughlan Publishing  
 Henry, J. (2013). *Cheer Up, Mouse*. HMH Books for Young Readers  
 Lester, H. (2007). *Hurty Feelings*. New York: Houghton Mifflin  
 Rosen, M. (2005). *Michael Rosen's Sad Book*. Candlewick Press  
 Salas, L. (2011). *Sad Is... (Know Your Emotions)*. Capstone Press  
 Simon, N. (1988). *I Am Not a Crybaby*. Albert Whitman  
 Spelman, C. (2004). *When I Feel Sad*. Albert Whitman  
 Steig, W. (1988). *Spinky Sulks*. A Sunburst Book, Farrar, Straus and Giroux.

### **Separation Anxiety:**

Appelt, K. (2000). *Oh My Baby, Little One*. San Diego, CA: Harcourt, Inc  
 Brown, M. (1998). *Arthur Lost and Found*. Boston: Little, Brown  
 Grindley, S. (1999). *What Will I Do Without You?* London: Kingfisher.  
 Horse, H., (2002). *Little Rabbit Lost*. Peachtree Publishing  
 Fowler, S.G. (1994). *I'll See You When the Moon is Full*, New York: William Morrow & Co.  
 McPhail, D. (1990). *Lost*. Boston: Little, Brown  
 Penn, A. (2006). *The Kissing Hand*. Tanglewood Press  
 Prestine, J.S. (2001). *Mom and Dad Break Up*. School Specialty Publishing.

### **Accurate Self-Perception**

Adams, C. (2001). *Happy to Be Me! A Kid Book About Self-Esteem*. (Elf-Help Books). Abbey Press.  
 Beaumont, K. (2004). *I Like Myself*. Harcourt  
 Behrens, J. (2010). *We are Alike, We are Different*. New York: Children's Press (Imprint of Scholastic Inc.)  
 Broski, J. (2011). *Being Me*. (Rookie Ready to Learn). Scholastic  
 Bullard, L. (2002). *Marvelous Me: Inside and Out (All about Me)*.  
 Bynum, J. (2003). *Pig Enough*. Harcourt  
 Byrne, G. (2009). *Sometimes It's Grandmas and Grandpas Not Mommies and Daddies*. New York: Abbeville Press  
 Carlson, N. (1990). *I Like Me! (Picture Puffins)*. Puffin Books.  
 Carlson, N. (1999). *ABC I Like Me!*. (1999). Puffin Books.  
 Cheltenham Elementary School Kindergartners (2002). *We Are All Alike... We Are All Different*. Scholastic Trade  
 Chen, C. (2006). *The Featherless Chicken*. Heryin Books  
 Cornell, L. & Curtis, J.L. (2004). *It's Hard to Be Five*. Harper Collins  
 Curtis, J.L. (2007). *I'm Gonna Like Me: Letting Off a Little Self-Esteem*. Harper Collins  
 D'amico, C. (2004). *Ella the Elegant Elephant*. Scholastic.  
 Diggs, T. (2011). *Chocolate Me!* Feiwel & Friends  
 Drachman, E. (2004). *Ellison the Elephant*. Kidwick Press  
 Ewald, W. (2002). *The Best Part of Me*. Little Brown  
 Falwell, C. (2007). *David's Drawings*.  
 Feder, J. (1997). *Table Chair Bear: A Book in Many Languages*. Ticknor & Fields  
 Fox, M. (2006). *Whoever You Are*. Mem Fox Paperback 2006  
 Hoffman, M. (2011). *The Great Big Book of Families*. NY: The Penguin Group  
 Hollyer, B. (2004). *Let's Eat: What Children Eat Around the World*. Henry Holt & Co.  
 Kalman, B. (2009). *How Are We the Same and Different?* New York: Crabtree Publishing Company.  
 Katz, K. (2002). *The Colors of Us*. Square Press.  
 Kuklin, S. (2006) *Families*. New York: Hyperion Books for Children  
 Lionni, L. (2006). *A Color of His Own*. NY: Knopf  
 Manna, G. (2000). *You and Me*. Barefoot Books.  
 Meiners, C.J. (2013). *Feel Confident! A book about self-esteem*. Free Spirit Publishing  
 Nolan, A.Z. (2009). *What I Like About Me*. Reader's Digest Picture Window Books.  
 Parr, T. (2003). *This is My Hair*. Little Brown  
 Parr, T. (2004). *It's Okay to be Different*. Little Brown  
 Parr, T. (2006). *I Like Being Me*. Little Brown  
 Pearson, M.E. (2011). *I Can Do It All*. Rookie Ready to Read. Scholastic  
 Simon, N. (1993). *Why Am I Different?* Albert Whitman  
 Simon, N. (2003). *All Families are Special*. Albert Whitman



Tarplay, N.A. (2001). *I Love My Hair!* Little Brown Books for Young Readers  
 Thomas, P. (2003). *The Skin I'm In: A First Look at Racism*. Barron's Educational Series.  
 Tyler, M. (2005). *The Skin You Live In*. Chicago Children's Museum.  
 Weiner, M.B. (2009). *I Want Your Moo: A story for children about self-esteem*. Magination Press

### **Self-Efficacy**

Aliki (2003). *All by Myself!*. Harper Collins.  
 Barken, J. (2007) *Celebrate! Your Amazing Achievements*. Reader's Digest Association  
 Charlip, R. (2004). *Hooray For Me!* Tricycle Press  
 Fisher, V. (2014) *I Can Do It Myself*. Schwartz & Wade  
 Hallinan, P.K. (1977). *I'm Glad to be Me*. Children's Press  
 Krensky, S. (2012). *I Can Do It Myself! (Empowerment Series)*. Harry N. Abrams  
 Piper, W. (2001). *The Little Engine That Could*. Grosset & Dunlap

### **Self-Management Managing Feelings/Self-Control**

Agassi, M. (2002). *Hands are Not for Hitting*. Free Spirit Press.  
 Burch, R. (2002). *Think Before You Act: Learning about Self-Discipline and Self-Control*. Creative Teaching Press  
 Cook, J. (2014). *I Can't Believe You Said That! Using My Social Filter or Not*. Boys Town Press  
 Cook, J. (2013). *Tease Monster: A Book About Teasing Vs. Bullying (Building Relationships)*. Boys Town Press  
 Curtis, J.L. (2007). *It's Hard to be Five: Learning to Work my Control Panel*. Harper-Collins  
 Graves, S. (2013). *Take a Deep Breath: A book about being brave*. Free Spirit Publishing  
 Metzger, S. & Cain, J. (2011). *The Way I Act*. Parenting Press.  
 Meiners, C.J. (2005). *Talk and Work it Out (Learning to Get Along)*. Free Spirit Publishing  
 Meiners, C. J.(2010). *Cool Down and Work Through Anger*. Free Spirit Publishing.  
 Verdick, E. (2004). *Words are Not for Hurting* Free Spirit Publishing  
 Verdick, E. (2015). *Voices are Not for Yelling*. Free Spirit Publishing.

### **Resonsible Decision Making (Social/Ethical Responsibility)**

Allard, H.G., Jr. (1985). *Miss Nelson Is Missing*. Sandpiper  
 Alexander, C. (2008). *Lucy and the Bully*. Whitman & Co.  
 Andersen, H.C. & Pinkney, J. (1999). *The Ugly Duckling* Caldecott  
 Auer, J. (2003). *Standing Up to Peer Pressure: A Guide to Being True to You*.  
 Berenstain, J. & Berenstain, S. (1995). *The Berenstain Bears and Too Much Teasing*. Random House  
 Berenstain, S. & Berenstain, J. (1988). *The Berenstain Bears and the Double Dare*. Random House  
 Berenstain, S. & Berenstain, J. (1983). *The Berenstain Bears and the Truth*. Random House Books for Young Readers.  
 Brown, M.W. (1990). *The Important Book*. HarperCollins  
 Clements, A. (1997). *Big Al*. Atheneum Books for Young Readers  
 Cook, J. (2013). *Tease Monster: A Book About Teasing Vs. Bullying (Building Relationships)*. Boys Town Press  
 Dr. Seuss (1957). *The Cat in the Hat* . Random House  
 Hansen, D. (2013). *Those are MY Private Parts*. CreateSpace Independent Publishing  
 Heller, R. (1999). *The Reason for a Flower*. Puffin  
 Henkes, K. (2008). *Chrysanthemum*. Mulberry Books  
 Jackson, J.S. (2003). *Bye Bye Bully*. Abbey Press  
 Javernick, E. (2010). *What If Everybody Did That?* Two Lions  
 Joyce, I. (2008). *Never Talk to Strangers*. New York: Golden Books  
 King, Z. (2008). *I Said No: A Kid-to-Kid Guide to Keeping Private Parts Private*. Boulden Publishing  
 Mannix, D. (2001). *Character building activities for kids*. Jossey-Bass  
 Pfister, M. (1999). *The Rainbow Fish*. North-South Books  
 Pomerance, M.H. (1998). *The Can-Do Thanksgiving*. Albert Whitman & Company  
 Seuss, Dr. (1989). *The Sneetches and Other Stories*. Random House.  
 Sendak, M. (1984). *Where the Wild Things Are*. Harper Collins  
 Soule, J.C. (2011). *Never Tease a Weasel*. Dragonfly Books  
 Wells, R. (2000). *Yoko*. Disney Hyperion  
 Willems, M. (2003). *Don't let the Pigeon Drive the Bus*. Hyperion Press

## **SOCIAL AWARENESS/RELATIONSHIPS**

### **Communication**

- Aliki (1996). *Hello! Good-bye!* Greenwillow Books.
- Aliki (1993). *Communication*. Greenwillow Books
- Berry, J.W. (1978). *Saying What You Mean: A children's book about communication skills*. Word Inc.
- Rissman, R. (2009). *We All Communicate (Disabilities and Differences)*. Heinemann
- Shapiro, L. (2008). *It's Time to Start Using Your Words (The Transition Times Series)*. New Harbinger
- Weber, R. (2004). *Body Language*. Compass Point Books

### **Empathy**

- Barchers, S.I. (2012). *Field Day: A Lesson on Empathy (Problem Solved!)*.
- Berenstain, S. & J. (1993). *The Berenstain Bears and the Bully*. Random House Books for Young Readers.
- DeBell, S. (2006). *How Do I Stand in Your Shoes?* YouthLight, Inc.
- Dunn, C. (2014). *Empathy Elly-phant: You Can Dance in a Trance with Yellow Polkdots Shoes & Pants*. CreateSpace
- Gainer, C. (2013). *I'm Like You, You're Like Me: understanding and appreciating each other*. Free Spirit Press
- Hoose, P.M. (1998). *Hey, Little Ant*. Tricycle Press.
- Housey, A. (2011). *Just Because: Where Seeing Another Point of View Makes a Better You*. Ferne Press
- McCloud, C. (2006). *Have You Filled a Bucket Today?* Nelson Publishing
- Meiners, C. (2003). *Understand and Care (Learning to Get Along)*. Free Spirit Publishing
- Paris, A. (2013). *Insides Out (The Empathy Way)*. Create Space Independent Publishing
- Paris, A. (2013). *I'm Different You're Different (The Empathy Way)*. Create Space Independent Publishing
- Rath, T. (2009). *How Full is Your Bucket? For Kids*. Gallup Press.
- Sornson, B. (2013). *Stand in My Shoes: Kids Learning About Empathy*. Love and Logic Press.
- Spelman, C.M. (2002). *When I Care About Others (Way I Feel Books)*. Albert Whitman & Co.
- Woodson, J. *Each Kindness*. (2012). Nancy Paulsen Books.

### **Friendship/Relationships:**

- Berenstain, M. & S. (2008). *Berenstain Bears and the Golden Rule*. Zonderkidz
- Bertrand, D. (2004). *My Pal, Victor/Mi Amigo, Victor*. Green Bay, WI: Raven Tree Press
- Brown, L.K. (2001). *How to be a Friend: A Guide to Making Friends*. Little Brown Books for Young Readers.
- Carle, E. (2013). *Friends*. Philomel Books
- Chodos-Irvine, M. (2006). *Best, Best Friends*. Harcourt Children's
- Hoban, Russell (1992). *A Bargain for Frances*. HarperCollins
- Huss, S. (2014). *How Little Leigh Made Friends*. Huss Publishing
- Innes, S. (2014). *Friendship is Like a Seesaw (A Big Hug)*. Barron's Educational Series
- Keller, H. (2007). *Help! A Story of Friendship*. HarperCollins Publishers
- Mayer, M. (2001). *Just My Friend & Me*. Random House Books for Young Readers
- McKinley, C. (2002). *One Smile*. Bellevue, WA: Illumination Arts
- Meiners, C. (2003). *Join In and Play (Learning to Get Along)*. Free Spirit Publishing
- Parish, H. (2011). *Amelia Bedelia Makes a Friend*. Greenwillow Books
- Parker, S. (2014). *P.E.S.T. Personal and Emotional Space and Taking Turns*. CreateSpace Independent Publishing
- Parr, T. (2002). *The Friends Book*. Little Brown
- Simon, N. (2013). *All Kinds of Friends*. Albert Whitman
- Swerling, L. (2015). *Friendship is... 500 Reasons to appreciate Friends*. Chronicle Books
- Udry, J.M. (1988). *Let's Be Enemies*. HarperCollins Publishers
- Wilhelm, H. (1988). *I'll Always Love You*. Random House Children's Books.
- Yolen, J. & Teague, M. (2006). *How Do Dinosaurs Play With Their Friends?* Scholastic Inc.
- Zolotow, C. (1969). *The Hating Book*. HarperCollins Publishers
- Zolotow, C. (1963). *The Quarreling Book*. HarperCollins Publishers

### **Respect for Others and for Diversity**

- Ada, A., & Campoy, F. (2004). *Mama Goose: A Latino Nursery Treasury*. Hyperion Books for Children
- Adoff, A. (2004). *Black is Brown is Tan*. New York: Amistad
- Albee, S. (2002). *Just Like You*. New York: Random House

Berenstain, J. & M. (2012). *The Berenstain Bears Treat Each Other Kindly*. Zonkerkidz.

Blackington, D. (2011). *Gracie's Ears*. MA. Pebbleton Press

Byrne, G. (2009). *Sometimes It's Grandmas and Grandpas Not Mommies and Daddies*. Abbeville Press

Carlson, N. (2004). *My Family Is Forever*. New York: Penguin Group

Chen, C. (2006). *The Featherless Chicken* California: Heryin Books

Dooley, N. (1996). *Everybody Bakes Bread*. Minneapolis: Lerner

Dooley, N. (2000). *Everybody Serves Soup*. Minneapolis: Carolrhoda Books

Dorros, A. (1997). *Abuela*. Ruffin Books

Elwin, R. & Paulse, M. (2000). *Asha's Mums*. Women's Press

Fox, M. (2006). *Whoever You Are*. Reading Rainbow Books.

Geisen, C. (2013). *We Are Different and Alike: A Book About Diversity*. Abbey Press.

Guntly, J.D. (2004). *I Can Show Respect (Doing the Right Thing)*. Gareth Stevens Publishing.

Hallinan, P.K. (2005). *A Rainbow of Friends*. Guideposts Books

Hardy, C. (2006). *Private Places: A Respect for Others Book*. Mercury Books

Hooks, G. (2005). *Nice Wheels*. Hyperion Books.

Kates, B. (1992). *We're Different, We're the Same* (Sesame Street). Random House Books for Young Readers.

Katz, K. (2002). *The Colors of Us*. Square Fish.

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